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LASER-DIODE-PUMPED SOLID-STATE LASER APPARATUS AND STATUS DIAGNOSTIC METHOD OF THE SAME

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

November 10, 2003

Sir:

The undersigned hereby petitions for an extension of time to respond to the Official Action of July 14, 2003 for one (1) month to November 14, 2003.

Please charge the extension fee of \$110 to Deposit Account No. 25-0120. If this fee is insufficient, the Patent Office is hereby authorized to charge any additional extension fee to Deposit Account No. 25-0120. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

A responsive paper is filed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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